

Libby Asbestos Superfund Site Conceptual Site Model Operable Unit 4

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Roadmap

- Conceptual Site Model context
- Purpose of Conceptual Site Model
- Libby Operable Unit 4 examples

The Superfund Remedial Process Long-term Protective Actions

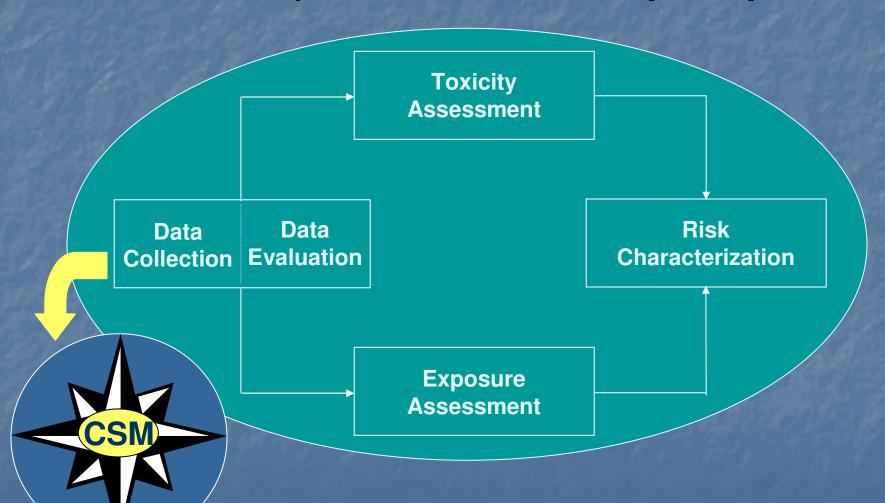


Nature & Extent of Contamination

Remedial Investigation

Feasibility Study Baseline Risk Assessment

Baseline Risk Assessment Conceptual Site Model (CSM)



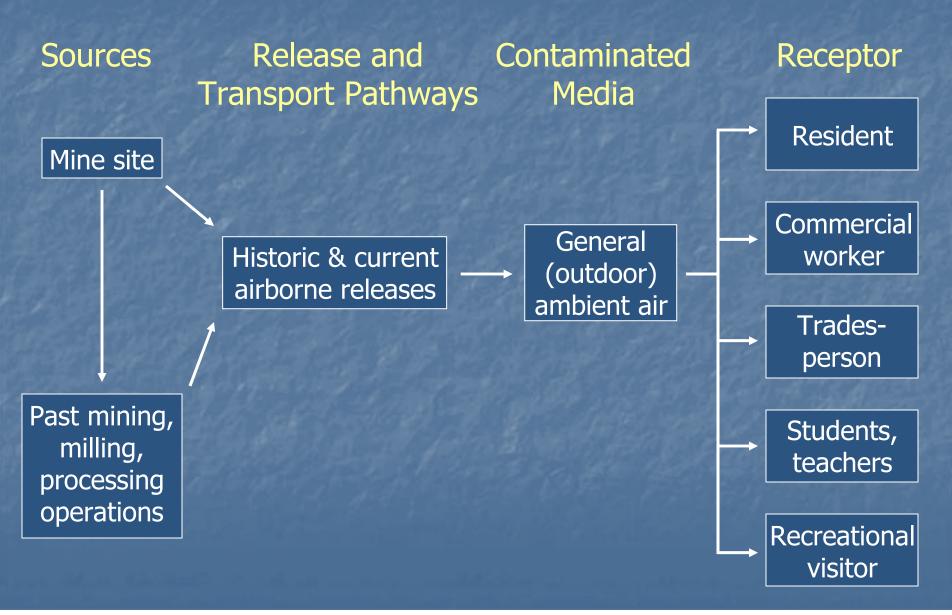
Conceptual Site Model

Identifies origin of contamination



- Illustrates movement through the environment
- Identifies receptors & routes of exposure
- Describes potential exposure pathways

Example – Libby OU4



Summary

The Conceptual Site Model



- Describes potential exposure pathways
- Helps guide the development of the Baseline Risk Assessment
- Is a living document that helps direct future data collection activities